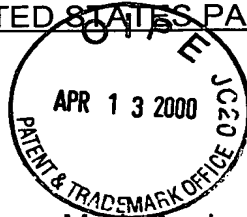


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AMENDMENT

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The Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 22, 2000, please amend
this application in the following manner:

In the Disclosure:

Immediately following the Title on page 1 of the specification, insert:

"REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATION

This application claims priority pursuant to 35 USC 119(e) from U.S.
Provisional Patent Application No. 60/065,791 filed November 14, 1997."

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On page 9, line 6, change "1D" to read "2B".

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On page 10, line 31, change "pMP44" to read "pMP41".

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On page 10, line 34, change "3E" to read "3J".

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On page 11, line 7, change "6C" to read "6F".

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On page 20, line 10, under "ATCC Designation" add "203461" and
under "Date Deposited" add "November 18, 1998".

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